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 Inventor (first named): Bech-Hansen
 Group Art Unit: 1646
 Examiner Name: Chernyshev
 Attorney Docket No.: 45499.2

 PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME
 PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington DC 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time for filing a Response to Office Action dated December 4, 2002. The grant of this Petition will extend the time for response from March 4, 2003 to April 4, 2003.



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